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Dear Ms. Hernandez:

In 2011, Park City Municipal Corporation (PCMC) applied for a permit from the Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) to complete an intersection improvement project at the intersection of Highway 248 and Richardson Flat Road. Due to its vicinity to the Middle Reach of Silver Creek, EPA requested screening level sampling at the intersection to determine if tailings might be encountered during the project. UDOT owns the intersection and authorized PCMC to take certain soil samples. PCMC submitted a report to EPA, dated August 16, 2011. In a memorandum dated September 26, 2011, EPA requested a sampling and analysis plan for areas where soil would be excavated and a Phase II Environmental Site Assessment to determine the extent of contamination in the project area, including water and sediment samples in Pace-Homer Ditch.

PCMC and UDOT have partnered to complete the studies you have requested. Please find enclosed a Sampling and Analysis Plan and Quality Assurance Project Plan (the Plan) dated February 16, 2011 for your review and comment. We look forward to your review and comment and respectfully request expedited review. An expedited EPA review would allow us to revise the Plan as necessary and complete the work prior to the 2012 construction season.

We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

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Joan Card, Manager  
Environmental Regulatory Affairs  
Park City Municipal Corporation

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